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Stabbing on Van Voorhis Road

At approximately 00:38 hours Morgantown Police Officers responded to Ruby Memorial Hospital Emergency Room for a reported stabbing. The incident initially occurred at approximately 00:22 hours in the Van Voorhis Road Area. As a result of the disturbance, one individual was stabbed in the abdomen. The suspect fled the scene on foot. The victim made his own way to Ruby Memorial Hospital.

The stabbing victim, Nicholas Ashley, is a 24 year old WVU student. Ashley underwent surgery for his injuries and his condition is unknown at the time of this press release.

This incident is being investigated by the Morgantown Police Department Detective Division. Anyone with any information regarding this incident is asked to contact the Morgantown Police Department at 304-284-7522.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a **"Partner in Policing"**, by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

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